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6 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**
8 **AT TACOMA**

9 UNITED FINANCIAL CASUALTY
10 COMPANY, a foreign insurer,
11 Plaintiff,
12 v.

No. 3:19-cv-05658
STIPULATION AND
ORDER PERMITTING
DEFENDANT TO AMEND
ITS ANSWER

12 CHRISTENSEN, INC., GENERAL
13 CONTRACTOR, a Washington corporation;
14 KEVIN CHRISTENSEN and BARBARA
15 CHRISTENSEN, husband and wife, and the
16 marital community thereof; JOHN R. CLARK
17 and "JANE DOE" CLARK, husband and wife, and
18 the marital community thereof; LEETTA
19 IRELAND, an individual person; HARTFORD
20 CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, a
21 foreign insurer;
22 Defendants,

Noting Date: October 21, 2020

19 v.
20 WESTERN NATIONAL INSURANCE, a foreign
21 Insurer; and NICHOLSON & ASSOCIATES, LLC
22 a Washington limited liability company.

23 STIPULATION

24 Come now the parties to this action, and stipulate to entry of an order allowing the
25 Defendant Christensen, Inc., General Contractor to file an Amended Answer to include -
26 Western National Assurance Company as a Third-Party Defendant. The

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1 parties are entering into this stipulation because the Amended Complaint incorrectly names
2 Western National Insurance rather than Western National Assurance Company, and Western
3 National Assurance Company issued the insurance policy at issue. The amended pleading is
4 attached hereto as Exhibit A.

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6 Dated this 21st day of October, 2020

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10 Dated this 21st day of October, 2020

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ORDER

This matter came before the court on a stipulation of the parties. The court has reviewed the records and files herein and particularly noted the signature of each attorney approving the order. Now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED as follows:

1. Christensen, Inc., General Contractor is permitted to file an Amended Answer to include Western National Assurance Company as a Third-Party Defendant. Counsel is directed to file the Amended Answer within seven (7) days of the date of this order.

DATED: October 23, 2020.



Hon. James L. Robart
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Presented By:

/s/ Joe Frawley
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Read and Approved;
Notice of Presentation Waived

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